

WHEREAS, January 12, 1888, marked the entry into the world in the State of Minnesota of one Bert Ellingson; and,

WHEREAS, Bert and his parents resided in the Roberts County area of Minnesota; and,

WHEREAS, Bert and his father Ellingson were united in matrimony, and settled on the Ellingson homestead, where they have resided ever since; and,

WHEREAS, Bert and Esther have become the proud parents of eight children, who are all well and growing into fine young men and women; and,

WHEREAS, Bert is a very active member of the Democratic Party, and has the satisfaction of having voted in the same precinct for some sixty years; and,

WHEREAS, Bert and Esther take justifiable pride in the fact that their son, Bert, is the very capable and competent Minority Leader of the South Dakota House of Representatives; and,

WHEREAS, We are fortunate to have among us in South Dakota such fine families as the Ellingsons; and,

WHEREAS, Tomorrow, January 13, 1976, will mark the Ninetieth Anniversary of the birth of Bert Ellingson; and,

WHEREAS, This event is worthy of public recognition in the State of South Dakota; and,

WHEREAS, It is fitting and proper that the Governor take note of this special occasion;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, RICHARD B. KNEIP, Governor of the State of South Dakota, do hereby proclaim Tomorrow, January 13, 1976, as

BERT ELLINGSON DAY.

in South Dakota, and join with his many friends and relatives in wishing him a day filled with joy, love and friendship, and in my sincere hope that the years ahead will bring him continued good health and happiness.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the Great Seal of the State of South Dakota, in Pierre, the Capital City, this Tenth Day of January, in the Year of Our Lord, Nineteen Hundred and Seventy-Eight.

ATTEST:

LORNA B. HERSETH, SECRETARY OF STATE

RICHARD B. KNEIP, GOVERNOR

STATE OF SOUTH DAKOTA - BUREAU OF ADMINISTRATION - OFFICE OF RECORDS MANAGEMENT - CERTIFICATE OF AUTHENTICITY
THIS IS TO CERTIFY THAT THE MICROPHOTOGRAPHIC IMAGE APPEARING ON THIS SLIDE OF MICROFILM IS AN ACCURATE REPRODUCTION OF THE ORIGINAL RECORD AND WAS MICROFILMED IN THE REGULAR COURSE OF BUSINESS ACCORDING TO THE PROVISIONS OF SOUTH DAKOTA COMPILLED LAW 1-27-4. IT IS FURTHER CERTIFIED THAT THE PHOTOGRAPHIC PROCESS USED FOR MICROFILMING OF THE ABOVE RECORDS WAS IN A MANNER AND ON MICROFILM WHICH MEET THE RECOMMENDED REQUIREMENTS OF THE NATIONAL BUREAU OF STANDARDS FOR PERMANENT MICROPHOTOGRAPHIC REPRODUCTIONS. REDUCTION 25% ROL NO. 2 DATE MICROFILMED 2-6-80 CAMERA OPERATOR [Signature]